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4. Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.) telephoned in response to a previous call to his office that we would be interested in cooperating with him on his trip to Russia. The Senator indicated he very much wanted to get together with us and requested that I visit with him in the very near future. He indicated that if he could not get into Russia through the Pacific approaches he probably would not make the trip.

5. Knowing of a UP item on Senator Jackson's speech at the National War College delivered this morning, the Director requested a copy. Having just talked with the Senator and having mentioned that I heard his speech, I telephoned him requesting a copy of the speech which he said he would be glad to make available. He volunteered the fact he had released this speech to the press deleting one or two paragraphs.

6. Mrs. Clara Gail, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, called and asked for information on the present location of the Skoda Works in Czechoslovakia. On the basis of unclassified information provided by AE Division, she was advised that the organization (new location in Pilsen, Czechoslovakia) manufactures locomotives, machine tools and other heavy machinery but does not manufacture the Skoda automobile in which Mrs. Gail was interested. She was also advised that this plant is known as the V.I. Lenin Works and employs from forty to fifty thousand workers. The Skoda automobile is built by AZMP in Mlada-Boleslav. Mrs. Gail was appreciative of this information.

She had also asked for the current address of a a former employee of OSS. Personnel is checking on this.

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7. Talked with Mr. Michael Levine in the Civil Service Commission concerning the Civil Service Commission's comment to the Bureau of the Budget on the CCDM draft bill on a National Civilian Defense Reserve. Levine said that the Commission was raising a number of questions on section 7 of this draft concerning the use of the term "provisionally appointed" and the requirement that members of the Reserve be brought to active duty on temporary appointments. The Commission is suggesting that section 7 be reworded to provide latitude in the appointment action in the time a national emergency occurs.

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